LOCAL MISCELLANY.

ERIE'S ENDLESS LITIGATION. ITILL MORE MOTIONS, PAPERS, PROCEEDINGS AND DECISIONS-A SUIT TO ANNUL THE STOCK YARDS

CONTRACT. As already reported, H. L. Bischoffsheim has sued Receiver Jewett for 234 per cent of the exchanges made by him of \$3,769,000 of sterling bonds for a like amount of consolidated tends of the Eric Railway Company. His claim amounts to \$103,647 50, gold, with interest, etc. lewett employed Mr. Bischoffsheim, he must pay for it An appeal has been taken from that decision, and since the decree of foreclosure has been ex icuted, and the road has been sold, and the new company has been organized and taken ts deeds. Yesterday Mr. Choate, on behalf of Sechoffsbeim, applied to Judge Donohue for an order hither that Mr. Jewett deposit in Court enough of the lunds in his hands to secure the claim of the plaintiff, or that he give security for it. This motion was made in the foreclosure suit. Mr. Macfarland, on behalf of Mr.

that he give security for it. This monoid was a security for it. This monoid was a security for it. This monoid was a security for feed of the foreclosure suit, and must affishelm was no party to the foreclosure suit, and must mbmit his claim on the final accounting by the receiver with all other claimants on its merits. Judge Donoinue denied the motion.

J. C. Bancrott Davis having withdrawn his foreclosure mit as trustee of the fifth Eric Railway mortgage, William A. Boyd was appointed referee to fix the compensation to be allowed him and his atterneys. Mr. Boyd fixed Mr. Davis's compensation at \$1,250, and the compensation of Dorman B. Eaton, as survivor of Eaton & Faller, his attorneys, at \$3,000 for the New-York suit, \$400 for the Pennsylvania suit, \$350 in the New-York suit, \$400 for the Pennsylvania suit, \$350 in the New-York suit, \$400 for the Pennsylvania suit, \$350 in the New-York suit, \$400 for che Pennsylvania suit, \$350 in the New-York suit, \$400 for the Pennsylvania suit, \$350 in the New-York suit, \$400 for the Pennsylvania suit, \$450 in the New-York suit, \$400 for the Pennsylvania suit, \$450 but his atterney confirmed the report.

An application was made to Judge Donohus yeateriay or release Receiver Jewett and his bondamen from urther liability for the transactions of the Eric Railway Yompany or the new company, except as to certain maters. Judge Donohus reserved his decision.

THE STOCK YARDS CONTRACT. Suit has been begun in Chicago by Mr. Jewett to set side the contract made in 1870 between the Eric Railway and the National Stock Yards, and for the repay bent of \$53,000. By the terms of the contract the di sectors of the stock yards were to influence the shipment of live-stock over the Eric Road. Charles Robinson, who was the president of the stock yards, with a salary of \$53,000 n year, it is tharged, did not use his influence for the Eric Road, and the Court is asked to force him to surrender 1,000 shares of the stock of the company, which were given to him in that consideration alone. It is further alleged that dr. Robinson's general mismanagement injured the rade of the Eric Road and drove shippers to other lines. In 1875, the petition states, Mr. Robinson old 3,623 shares of the Stock Yards Company, and agreed to resign as director and to induce three they directors to resign as director and to induce three they directors to resign, so that a board could be chosen in the interest of the Eric Road, in consideration of which the Eric Road peld him \$50,000, and to his counsel \$5,000. The prayer asks that the contract be annulled, he \$53,000 be paid back, and that a decree be entered ancelling the stock held by Robinson, and declaring that is has no right or interest in the 3,623 shares pretonded by him to have been transferred to the Eric Road. ectors of the stock yards were to influence

SUSPICIONS OF A MURDER. BODY OF A MAN, WITH A WOUND IN THE BEAST, FOUND IN THE EAST RIVER.

Charles Opper, of No. 1,527 First-ave., and Beorge Cebald, of No. 1,540 First-ave., while standing on the pier at the foot of East Seventy-ninth-st., at 10 'clock yesterday morning found the body of a mau Soating up the river. They towed it to the foot of Eighty-sixth-st., and informed the police of the Twentyhird Precinct. The body was much decomposed, and must have been in the water six months. The head was so much disfigured that it would be difficult to recognize the features. On the left side of the breast, just beneath the heart, there was a wound which resembles one made with a knife or pistol ball. The following description was taken of him for the Coroner: Fifty years of age, five feet eight inches nigh, light complexion, His wearing apparel consisted of a dark coat, black prousers, white undershirt, and linen shirt and congress raiters. The body is at the Morgue, awaiting identification.

son.

Superintendent Walling ordered Captain Turner, of the Central office, to search the list of missing persons for several months past to see if any clue to the identity of the drowned man could be learned. It was discovered that John McGowan, a discharged soldier, of No. 141 East Thirteenth-st, had been missing since January 8. His discription agreed somewhat with that of the body. McGowan had about \$600 in his possession, and it was hought that he was enticed to the East River, robbed and murdered. It was found upon investigation, however, that McGowan returned to his home two months ago, having been on a debauch. He sailed on the Beythia last Wednesday.

LARGE SALES OF BONDS. THE SYNDICATE SUBSCRIBES FOR THE JUNE OPTION OF \$5,000,000.

The Syndicate made a call yesterday for \$5,000,000 of 412 per cent bonds, anticipating the June option. The May option of \$5,000,000 was on April 25, and the entire amount was disposed of in seven days. The sales by the Syndicate yesterday were about \$750,000, nearly \$500,000 of the amount being on the new subscription. A member of the Syndicate said: "Secretary Sherman has written a letter expressing his satisfaction over the result of his contract with the Syndicate, and predicting that the entire \$50,000,000 will be sold within four months from the date of the contract. If the demand keeps up, we shall be compelled to subscribe for the July option by Thursday of next week."

The subscription of yesterday makes a total of \$20,000,000 already taken by the Syndicate. Messrs. Counnit and Coon, the American Tressury agents abroad, have arrived in London with \$10,000,000 42 per cent bonds ordered by the Rothschilds, which, if sold, will also be credited to the Syndicate subscription. It is stated that large orders from Chicago are received daily for 4½ per cent bonds. disposed of in seven days. The sales by the

BUST OF MAZZINI IN CENTRAL PARK. The Italian citizens of New-York have completed among themselves a programme of celebration for May 29, when they expect to unvail in Central Park the bust of Mazzini, the It-lian patriot. The bust is of bronze, and was executed by Torrini, at Florence. It will rest upon a grante pedestal, standing on the west side of the by-path between the 7th Regiment's Monument and the Sheepfold, near Eighth-ave. It is stated that the vice-president of the Italian Committee will preside on that day, that the Mayor and other officials of this city, and also the Ital ian Associations of neighboring cities have been invited to be present; that William Cullen Bryant will deliver an address; and the day will end with a concert and

ball.
So far as the programme concerns Central Park, it was stated yesterday at the Park Department, that the Commissioners knew nothing about the arrangements, and that it would be necessary to consult them before any programme could be prepared with a certainty that it would go into effect. It is eastomary for one of the Park Commissioners to preside on such occasions.

OPPOSITION TO THE BROOKLYN BRIDGE. The Board of Apportionment, yesterday authorized \$100,000 stock of the Museum of Art and Natural History, and appropriated \$25,000 to complete the work upon the new Court House. The Court House ners reported that they had expended \$313,

commissioners reported that they had expended \$313, 500.

A. B. Miller, the plaintiff in a suit againt the Brooklyn Bridge trustees, argued before the board against any further appropriations for the bridge until his suit is decided. He contended that the construction of the bridge was unlawful, and offered to furnish proof that since the wires of the bridge were put up the shipping business along the river front above the bridge had been almost rulned. W. H. Arnoux, the counsel of Mr. Miller, added that the East River water front was the only place where floating docks could be placed. Nine-tenths of the ships which passed under the bridge would have to take down their spars at a cost from \$25 to \$500 each time they passed.

A CHURCH'S NEW EDIFICE. The opening of the new edifice of the East Congregational Church, on Tompkins-ave., near DeKalbave., Brooklyn, will take place to-morrow, at 3 p. m. Addresses will be made by the Rev. Honry Ward Beecher and the Rev. Drs. Joseph T. Duryea and Reuben Jeffrey. The music will be conducted by Henry Camp and the Plymouth choir. The new building is constructed of wood, in a substantial manner, and its dimensions are 43 feet by 65 feet. The pews and all other inside wood work are of chestant. The windows are of stained glass. The ceiling is tastefully panelled and in the centre is an ornamental dome. The scating capacity is 500. It was determined at the outset that no debt should be incurred in excess of the amount subscribed, except for the building plot. The lots cost \$5,500, and were purchased at cash prices, the amount subscribed, except for wembers of the church society. The Rev. George C. Miln is the paster of the church. Addresses will be made by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher

MANHATTAN ATHLETIC CLUB GAMES. The opening games of the Manhattan Athletic Club will take place on its new track, at Fifty-sixthst. and Eighth-ave., on May 14, at 5 p. M. The following programme will be presented:

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Two hundred and twenty yards' run—Club handicap.
One mile walk—Club handicap.
One half mile run—Club handicap.
One half mile run—Club handicap.
One mile walk against time by T. H. Armstrong, of the Harlem Athletic Club, champion amateur walker of America.
One-quarter mile run open to all amateurs.
Prizes—Gold medal to first, silver medal to second.
Entries will cases May 9, with G. D. Parmiy, secretary of the club, at No. 19 West Thirty-eighth-st. Entrance to the grounds free, and there will be no entrance fee to games.

STOCK EXCHANGE NOMINATIONS. The Nominating Committee of the Stock Exchange yesterday reported the following ticket: President, Brayton Ives; chairman, Moses A. Wheelock; President, Brayton Ives; chairman, Moses A. Wheelock; Vice-chairman, J. Mitchell; treasurer; D. C. Hays; Secretary, R. O. White; governing committee—Henry Meigs, W. R. Gould, Samuel M. Schafer, Theodore S. Meigs, W. R. Gould, Samuel M. Schafer, Theodore S. Theory, J. J. Higginson, T. H. Porter, Clarence T. Day, Ferry, J. J. Higginson, T. H. Porter, Clarence T. Day, Ferry, J. J. Higginson, T. H. Porter, Clarence T. Day, Forty, J. J. The mortgage has been foreclosed, but a suit to ahmul the sale is pending. He has other sasets, consisting of lower pending. He has other sasets, consisting of open accounts, \$16,872, and claims for \$3,000.

H. H. Hollister, and H. W. Mead, for two years; and A. F. R. Martin, for one year. The nominations for chair man and vice-chairman were referred back to the coimittee, and the rest of the report was adopted by the full Exchange. The election will take place May 13, and it is expected that an independent ticket will be presented.

THE MURDERED BOATMAN. A MAN ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF BEING THE

MURDERER OF BERNARD FERRON. The Brooklyn police have been very reticent in reference to the murder of Bernard Ferron, the old boatman of Red Hook, who disappeared on March 16, and whose body was found, a week ago yesterday, in the Erie Basin with a hundred pounds of old iron attached to it. A man has been arrested on suspicion of being implicated in the crime, and is locked up in the Van Brunt Street Station House, Brooklyn. Upon the Brunt Street Station House, Brooklyh. Open the canvas bag, in which the weights were placed, were the words "John H. Lewis & Co., chandlers, No. 31 South st., New-York." This firm identified the bag as having been purchased from them, and it was also ascertained, it is said, that it had belonged to the captain of the schooner Mary E. Harris, which was anchored in the Erie Basin March 6, and went away on March 20. She was commanded by John Crowley, and there were only two other men on board during her stay in the basin. The captain went away the day after the vessel arrived there and did not return until the day of her departure. The schooner, which carried a cargo of imber, had been consigned to Nash & Co., of the city.

The vessel, after leaving the Eric Basin, is reported to have gone to Jersey City, where she remained for two weeks. One of the two men composing the crew there left the schooner, which soon after sailed for Maine. The man who left was traced by the police and found in a boarding-house in Water-st., this city. The investigation was conducted with much secrecy, and the police refuse to disclose the manner in which the arrest was made. The name of the man arrested was not given. The prisoner will not be arrasigned for several days.

NO VIGHANCE COMMITTEE IN CHICAGO. canvas bag, in which the weights were placed, were

NO VIGILANCE COMMITTEE IN CHICAGO. A report was circulated yesterday that the Communists had risen in Chicago, and that the city was in the hands of a vigilance committee. In response to a dispatch from a railroad agent came the message: " This is May, not April." The rumor was finally set at rest by the following dispatch from Chicago:

The New-York Wall st. rumor that this city is in the hands of a vizibanes committee is atterly without fountation. Not even the rumor heelf had been heard bere until telegrams of inquiry from New-York were received.

EMBARRASSED IN FINANCES.

E. REMINGTON & SONS IN TROUBLE. ASKING AN EXTENSION FROM THEIR CREDITORS-LIABILITIES ESTIMATED AT \$1,000,000- DELAY IN PAYMENTS BY THE EGYPTIAN AND MEXICAN

GOVERNMENTS. E. Remington & Sons, of No. 281 Broadway, manufacturers of rifles, a ... stion, etc., at Bion N. Y., have become financially embarrassed and have submitted their affairs to their creditors. They propose to issue bonds to run five years, at 7 per cent interest, to their creditors, for the amount of their claims, secured by a mortgage on the armory property at 11ion. The Habili-ties amount to about \$1,000,000, while their assets are valued at \$1,000,000, but are not immediately available. The assets consists of the armory at Hion, ten large connecting buildings, which, with the real es tate and machinery, is valued at \$1,500,000; finished arms valued at about \$900,060; claims against the Egyptian and Mexfeau Governments for about \$500,000; b and Mexfram Governments for about \$500,000; but receivable, open accounts, bonds and material, raw and in
process of manufacture. The Habilities are mainly on
promissory notes, and are distributed all over the camtry, more being due in Hon than in any other single city.

No meeting of creditors has been called yet; an informal gathering of some residing at Hion was held, at
which the affairs of the company was discussed, and the
creditors were unanimous in favor of adding the cerapany, in order that the business might continue without
interruption. The matter was sumitted, vesterday, to
the New-York creditors individually, and every one
who was visited at once accepted the proposal.
Charles Taylor, a prominent financier and manager, has
been appointed, with power of attorney, to atrange matters. He said yesterday that the principal cause of the
trouble was the inability of foreign Governments to pay
at present the claims for arms furnished. The
Mexican Government owed \$200,000, and the
Eaypthan Government was indebted for a barger amount;
they undoubtedly would be paid, but not immediately.
The habilities were less than \$1,000,000, and the assets
were worth four times that amount. A loan was being
negotiated, which, if successful, would change the
whole condition of affairs. And in the event of a European war, the firm would be able to pay off the entire
indebtedness in less than the five years as proposed.
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The business was started in 1830 by E. Remington, and in 1863 it was incorporated under the mone of E. Remington & Sons: the officers are as follows: President, Samuel Remington; vice-president, Philo Remington; Treasurer, E. Remington, They have transacted a very large business, manufacturing arms for many foreign Governments, principally Egypt, Mexico and the South American States. They have had branches in all the prominent cities, but nately they have retrenched, and now have branches only in New-York, Baltimore, Chicago and London. They employ at the present time about 400 men at filon, and in busy times they have had as many as 1,200 employed. They received a medal at the Philadelphita Exhibition, and are represented at the Paris Exposition.

FUTURE. A gentleman prominently interested in the co said last evening that the company had labored under secious embarrasyment for several months. This has been owing to delay in the payment of their accounts on the part of the Egyptian and the Mexican Governments. The amount of the Egyptian account was about \$400,000, and that from \$195,000 to \$150,000. Both of the Mexican accounts were undoubtedly good, and ultimately would be paid. The Mexican account was for arms furnished to the Lerde Admulstration, but it had since been ac-knowledged by the Diaz Government. It was being paid in installments, and almost every steamer brought from

to the Lerdo Administration, but it and since been acknowledged by the Diaz Government. It was being paid in installments, and almost every steamer brought from \$10,000 to \$20,000.

"In regard to the position toward the company held by Mr. Taylor," continued the gentleman, "It is simply that of flusnelal manager and he holds a general power of attorney to transact the business of the company. He was appointed in January last, and is a salaried officer. He was charged on account of his excellent business qualifications, in the hope that he would be able to extrict the company from its difficulties. His familiarity with sewing machines—which form a branch of our business gained during his connection with the "Domestic," and his acquaintance also with the manufacture of arms nake him a destrable man for the company. The appointment of Mr. Taylor was contemplated as long ago as last July, but for some reason was deferred to the beginning of the year. His authority had no connection in my way with the bonds issued by the company. Concerning these mortcage bonds, the plan proposed the issue of bonds secured by mortgage and the borrowing of money on them to meet the company's obligations. It was expected that we could negotiate the loan through the Shoe and Leather Bank, but owing parily, at least, to the large amount desired the scheme failed. The annount of bonds issued by the company is \$1,000.000, and I am informed that some of the creditors have offered or consented to accept them in satisfaction of their debts and that abone \$200,000 in bonds have been placed in this way. The sworm annual statement of the company was published in the Hon papers in January, and at that time the Hollitides were said to be, as hearly as tan recollect. \$850,000, and the assets considerably over \$4,000,000. The embarrassment of the company is therefore metely temporary. There has been no assignment not, so far as I know, any talk about Cne. As soon as the company can realize on some of its assets it will be free from its difficulties The compan's debts are due to workmen and the and steel dealers, and to the firms generally who have supplied materials.

OTHER LOCAL EMBARRASSMENTS.

W. C. MOORE, A VOLUNTARY BANKRUPT, WITH LAA-

BILITIES OF \$380,000-OTHER FAILURES. William C. Moore, formerly of the firm of Allerton, Dutcher & Moore, which kept the stock-vards at One-hundredth-st. and Third-ave., has been adjudicated a voluntary bankrupt by Register Alleu. His lia-bilities amount to about \$380,000, with no assets, the latter having been used up by operations in real estate.

| Among the largest creditors are: | |
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| Allerton & Dutcher | 243,718 03 |
| Barnett, G. A. C | 3,000 00 |
| Only Head Bank | 5,000 00 |
| Buil's Head Bank. Manufacturers' and Builders' Bank. | 9.595 29 |
| Mechanics' and Traders' Bank | 3.760 57 |
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| Mintord, Thomas | 10,204 37 |
| New-York Loan and Indemnity Co | 13,199 31 |
| North River Bank | 4,916 55 |
| Pond, E. B | 4,635 00 |
| Security Bank | 9,650 52 |
| Schuster, Susman | |
| Schuster, Susman | |

The large amount due Allerton & Dutcher is the de ficiency on a mortgage of the bankrupt given for property between Ninety-eighth and One-hundred-and-

property between Ninety-eighth and One-nundred-and-second-sts, and Third and Fourth-aves. The property was sold under a decree of foreclosure on July 24, 1876. A meeting of the creditors will be held on May 24. Henry S. Magrane, of the late hirm of S. A. Castle & Co., dry-goods merchants at No. 50 Howard-st., has been adjudicated a voluntary bankrupt, with liabilities of \$165,000 and no assets. The firm failed in August, 1875, with liabilities of \$197,900, and their assets rea-lized about \$25,000. The principal creditors are:

Lane, Merritt
National Thread Co.
Stafford, A. R. & Co.
Star Pin Co.
United States Buffon Co. United States Bufton Co. 41,265
Le Van S. Peck, a partuer in the firm of Thomas Small & Co., dealers in hides at No. 46 Frankfoft-st., desires to have the firm adjudicated bankrupt, and has flied a petition against the other members, Mr. Small and Thomas C. Spears. Ho is only able to give the names of three creditors in his petition: Samuel W. Boocock, \$3,000; Caroline A. Whitbeck, \$1,173; R. F. Stephens & Co., \$28. The assets, as far as he knows, are merely nominsi, consisting of debta due. \$1,175, and one-third interest in a claim for \$15,000 against the S. T. Day Company.

HOME NEWS.

HERMOMETER YESTERDAY AT HUDNUTS, NO 218 BROADWAY.

9 a.m. 69 'Noon, 79 '. 3 p. m. 85 '. Midnight, 67 '.

Highest durinr the day 85 '. Lowest 58 '.

Average, 70 'g'. Same day, 1877, 49 '.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS. VROMINENT ARRIVALS.

Union Square Hotel—Congressman Alfred M. Waddele, of North Carollina. Startesmal Hone-General John Gibbon. U. S. A. Windsor Hotel—George F. Danforth, of Rochester; General J. N. Knapp, of Aubtralian Arbaha W. Palmer, of Auenia, N. Harden, and ex-Senator Abhah W. Palmer, of Auenia, N. Hall Registrator Hotel—Acting Bank Superintendent Henry L. Lamb, of Albany, New Fork Hotel—State Engineer Horato Seymont, pr., of Albany, and General William W. Averell. St. Micholas Hotel—Thomas Adamson, United States Consul-General at Rio Janeiro. Around Central Hotel—Thomas Carolla Rio Lamber of Horizon Siphy M. Welly, U. S. N., and Captain Prederick Walking of Horizon sing City of Brussels. Fifth Acens. Hotel—Ex-Congressman Thomas C. Platt, of Owego, Walking T. Wright, United States Consol at Sautos, Brazil. States Consol at Sautos and Sautos at Saut

NEW-YORK CITY. The workmen on the Brooklyn Bridge have gun painting the cables.

The Excise Commissioners, during the year ending May 1, 1878, received \$197,065 53 in lineense

The members of St. George's Cricket Club yesterday decided not to enter the United States Cricket

Letters written by Sir Humphrey Davy and the Duke of Wellington are among the treasures of a Bowery pawnbroker.

The Free Reading Room and Library of the Cooper Union will be closed on Sundays, efter to-mor-row, until the first Sunday in October.

One of the physicians who has been in attendance upon Allen W. Evarts said last evening that he was doing well and constantly improving.

The shady side of the street was the favorite side, yesterday, during the heat of the day. Few pedestrians were seen on the sanny side of Broadway. The transfer of the Brandreth House, at

Broadway and Canal-st., by the Excelsior Medical Colege to Benjamin Braudreth for \$160,000 was recorded The Polish Emancipation Society celebrated

the adoption of the Polish Constitution in 1798, by an

entertainment at the Harmony Rooms, in Essex-st., last evening. Historical addresses were made. The forty-second anniversary of the Union Theological Seminary will be held in the Madison Square Presbyterian Church Monday evening. The anniversary of the alumni will be held in the chapel of the seminary on Tuesday.

Colonel Macias, a member of the Cuban League, said yesterday that Colonel Wm. N. Saunders, a red man, of Louisiann, intends to raise a body of red men in the South and go to Cuba to assist the

The Government officers seized, yesterday, meteen places of coral fewelry in the United States ills, two cases of wine from the steamship England, or National Line, and 3,000 eigars from the bark Sames

William Moan died on April 30, at the age

of 100 years, 3 months and 5 days. He was born in Ireland, and come to this country twenty-five years He performed daily work until a few years ago. led from Bright's disease. Anthony Comstock has written a letter in which he says that improper literature is being circu-

inted to a considerable extent among the pupils in the public schools of Brooklyn. He has consulted with the Brooklyn Board of Education in regard to this matter. The returns of the Custom House Weighers for April, anowing a large saving of cost under the present system, were as follows:

1877. 1578. 242,572,827 180,690,517 228,471 41 \$13,557 48 At the National Assembly Rooms, in West Forty-fourth-st., a free Kindergurten has been estab

lished and has become very popular among many fami, lies in the Twenty-second Ward. The children attending are already almost too numerous for the space adotted to A large number of John Morrissey's friends left this city yesterday morning, to be present at the

burial services to-day. Before his death, Mr. Morrissey requested that in the selection of the pall-beaters at his aneral, one-half of them be chosen from New-York and Officer Chiardi, of the Society for the Pre-

vention of Cruelty to Children, arrested Mrs. Susan Kane, of No. 446 West Twenty-slighth-st., on a charge of being drunk and cruelly heating her child Catherine, ago three years. Her husband is a hod-carrier, and they have bloom children. Nellie Hoffnagle was hanging out clothes

from a fourth-story rear window at No. 287 Tenth-ave., yesferday. She leaned forward and pulled the line. It proke and she fell into the yard. She remained unconscious from the moment she struck the pavement, and lied forty minutes later. Local Steamboat Inspectors Jayne and Matthews rendered their decision yesterday in the matter of

the collision between the tug Only Son and the Albany steamhoat St. John. They found that the accident was due to the reckless mattention of the master of the Only Son, and suspended his beense for thirty days. The fogs of the last few days have caused

the detention of a large number of sailing yessels in port, and yesterday the lower bay and the occan just outside of Sandy Hook presented a picture such as is seldom witnessed. As far as the eye could reach the water was The Salmagundi Sketch Club is soon to hold

an exhibition of black and white drawings, sketches and etchings, at the Leavitt Art Gallery. Contributions will be received from May 5 to May 11. The interoriginated in the exhibition of sketches during the Franco-Fransian war, the proceeds of the sale going to humane and chari-

Three men were at work on a swing staging on the sectional dock at the foot of Ciliton st., in the East River, yesterday afternoon, when, without warning, its supports gave way and it feit. John Moore, of No. 1433 Eldridge-st., had his left arm broken; David Osborn, of No. 381 South-st., sprained an ankle, and Eugene Suihvan, of No. 1,443 Second-ave., broke his aukle.

The ladies of the Pastor's Aid and Mission society of the Church of the Heavenly Rest (Dr. Howand's) opened a fair Thursday evening at Lyric Hall, m Sixth-ave., between Forty-first and Forty-se the proceeds to be applied to reducing the debt of the church. Among the attractions are a floral temple and a shooting gallery. The fair will remain open until this

The anniversary of the American Female Guardian Society will occur on Wednesday, May 8. The business unceting will be held in the Home Chapel, No. 29 East Twenty-ninth-st., at 10 c. m. At the public meeting in the Broadway Tabernacle, at 3 p. m., the Rev. Dr., John Hall presiding, addresses will be made by the Rev. Mossis. F. Courtney, R. S. Macarthar and Ma-son North. A thousand children will represent the Home Inpustrial Schools on the occasion.

The Columbia College Boat Club has obained about \$2,000 of the \$2,500 which it considers pecessary in order to send its best four earemen across the Atlantic. More than \$300 of this amount was realized by an amateur magical entertainment given last evening at the Union League Theatre. Augustin Mon-roe, who is a graduate of the School of Mines of the Class of 1874, performed a series of experiments that mystified and delighted the andience.

Under the title of "Boots and Saddles," Captain and Acting Assistant Adjutant-General James H. Stevenson, of Philadelphin, late of the 1st New-York Cavalry, better known as the "Lincoln Cavalry," is writing the troop's history, and calls upon all the officers and members to contribute to its publication. The troop was successively under the command of Generals Milroy. Hunter, Sigel, and Sheridan, frequently measured strength with the famous guerilla chiefs Imboden and Mosby, and closed its career under Custer.

BROOKLYN. The Bushwick Savings Bank has been removed from Broadway and Myrtle-ave. to No. 466

The Coney Island season will be opened today with a concert, by Downing's Ninth Regiment band, on the pizza at the terminus of the Prospect Park and Coupy Island Railroad. The concert will be given at The Eighteenth Ward Republican Associa-

tion, on Thursday night, adopted a resolution that those Federal employes who resigned last year, in accordance with President Hayes's Civil Service order, should be re-instated. The shirt collar has at length been utilized

for advertising purposes. Yesterday afternoon a colored man with a very high shirt collar, bearing the name of a house in the soap trade, walked up and down Fulton-st. and excited considerable attention. The twenty-fourth anniversary of the Juvenile High School, in Livingston-st., between Court-st.

and Boerum-place, occurred yesterday afternoon Among the clergymen present were the Rev. Drs Schonck and Talmage, and the Rev. Messra. E. P. Inger soil and William A. Leonard, some of whom made ad dresses. John Llewellyn has procured from the Su-Liewellyn, of No. 65 South Eighth-st., to produce in court his daughter Georgiana, age four, who, he says, is imprisoned in order that he may not see her. Mrs. Liewellyn is charged with being an unfit person to have the custody of the child. reme Court a writ of habeas corpus directing Sarah M.

A mass-meeting of the Brooklyn section of the Socialistic Workingmen's party was held hast evening in Lyrio Hall, at Fourth-ave. and Eighteenth-st. John Drury, a wood-carver, of Philadelphia, said that efforts were helds had taken place, the younger of the two, who had been present, was asked if Miss X.—, one of the singers, was encored. Her youthful fancy must have been drawn in another direction, for she replied, "Oh, no; she was in velvet."

ing people. Every man had a right to live, and the man who did not work for his living had to steal it from some one else. Workingmen alone were capable of discussi the labor question—a problem which for thousands years had remained unsolved.

POSTSCRIPT 3:45 a.m.

LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

DAWNINGS OF CONCILIATION. THE CZAR TRYING TO PROMOTE A SETTLEMENT. LONDON, Saturday, May 4, 1878.

The Standard's Berlin dispatch says the Czar has undertaken to conduct affairs during the illness o Prince Gortschakoff. Hence the more pacific aspect of the situation.

The Standard's Vienna correspondent hears that the Standard's vienna correspondent hears that the Stafano. They will leave one regiment there to guard their stores.

TURKS RESISTING TODLEBEN. LONDON, Saturday, May 4, 1878.

The Vienna correspondent of The Times diselieves the reports that General Todleben's nego iations for the surrender of the Bulgarian fortresses have already failed, as negotiations on such an important question are likely to take days or weeks.

Meanwhile, however, the Rassians have occupied Pra-yadi, thus cutting communication between Varna and Shumia, an act simes of a hostile character, and un-likely to contribute toward the chances of a settlement.

AUSTRIA CONCENTRATING TROOPS.

THE PRINCE OF WALES ENTERTAINED.

LONDON, Saturday, May 4, 1878. The Daily News has the following from Vienna: "A telegram from Agram, Croatia, announces that orders have been issued 40 commence the concen-tration of 25,000 men towards the Bosnian frontier."

Paris, Friday, May 3, 1878. The English exhibitors gave a great banquet to the Prince of Wales at the Grand Hotel to-night, Lord Granville presided. All the principal exhibitors were present.

GATHORNE BARDY MADE A PEER. LONDON, Saturday, May 4, 1878. The elevation of Right Hon, Gathorne Hardy

FAILURE IN BATAVIA. LONDON, Saturday May 4, 1878.

The Times announces that Moorman & Co.*

to the peerage, with the title of Viscount Cranbrook, is gazetted.

of Batavia, have failed. Their liabilities are estimated at several million florins. [For other Fordign newsers first page]

A HEARTLESS FATHER.

CTTEMPT TO STARVE A DAUGHTER TO OBTAIN HER PROPERTY-NARROW ESCAPE FROM LYNCHING. Indianapolis, Ind., May 3.—At Shelbyville, Ind., last night, a man named Wagner, who has been a resident, living in gorgeous style in that city, was caught by a posse of officers and citizens in an aftempt to starve to death his ewind daughter, who is the owner of the property of which he has been enjoying possession. Several weeks ago his daughter, aged but fourteen years, was locked in a room by the father and stepmother, where she has been confined in hunger and fitth ever since. At 10 o'clock last night the enraced populace went to his residence, forced an entrance, and took the poor grif from confinement. This morning a parity of young men, armed with shotguns and earrying a rope, proceeded to his residence and only linously hie almost exercions of the City Marsial and his assistants was the moly prevented from dealing out summary punishment. Wagner was excerted to the depot surrounded by a posse of forty men and 500 persons, and compelled to leave the city. His wife refused to go with him. Indianapolis, Ind., May 3 .- At Shelbyville

THE CIMBRIA UNDER SUPERVISION.

Ellsworth, Me., May. 3.-The steamer Imbria still remains at Southwest harbor, and is an ob-cet of curious interest. The officers finding that the Maine Liquer Law is in force, have been per-mitting men to come on shore quite freely.

mitting men to come on abore quite freely. The men are evidently surprised to find no liquor. They are very peaceable and inoflensive, and, of course, perfectly sober. Officers are going about over the island, visiting the different points of interest. They are very gentlemanly, and are penular with the people, who are in fully sympathy with Russia. Indications point to a considerable stay here.

Two Englishmen—one, Rear-Admiral W. Gore Jones, of the British Navy, now on duty at Washington, and the other, supposed to be the British Consul at Portland—bave been here to-day. They made many inquiries, but could learn nothing new. They desired to see the manifest, and then tried to get on noard the steamer, but failed. Mr. Jones refurned to Washington to day, but the other remains here on the watch.

No person not in the service of the ship has been allowed on board to-day. The efficers manifest some little annoyance at the press reports, which they regulaly receive. The steamer's manifest contains nothing but ship stores.

Boston, May 3.—Special telegrams from Maine to night say that a member of the Russian Embassy at Washington passed through Portland to night for the steamer Climbra. The only persons who have been aboard are the Collegram and District Attorney, and they report that they enjoyed the visit.

A FOUL MURDER QUICKLY AVENGED. St. Louis, May 3.—The Globe-Democrat has a spechal dispatch stating that on the evening of April 27 Henry M. Darnall, fr., a citizen of Peniscot County, Mo., and a member of the hast Legislature of that State was enticed across the Mississippi River into Lake County, Tenn., and Kilied by Win. Shearer and a tenant of his. Shearer fled, but was overtaken the next day by the sheriffsposse, and mortally wounded while attempting to escape from them. Before Shearer died he stated he had been bired to kill Darnall, but did not say by whom.

SUFFERERS FROM FOUL STENCHES.

PROPLE WHO AGREE WITH MR. MUSGRAVE AS TO THE VILE ODORS UP TOWN-A PETITION SIGNED

A petition, complaining of the vile odors that infect the upper portion of the city, will be presented to-day to the Board of Health. The petitioners say: "We have suffered greatly from the bad smells arising from the bone, fat and offal-rendering establishments on and near North River and Eleventh-ave., from Thirty sixth to Fortieth-at. The stench often fills the air so as to be almost unendurable, and we respectfully request the floard of Health to put a stop to it."

To the petition the following names, 136 in number

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POLICE BRUTALITY IN A STATION.

Officer Haff, of the Fifty-ninth Street Police Station, brought in a prisoner last evening, and charged him with intoxication and disorderly conduct. While in the station house, the prisoner complained of having the station house, the prisoner complained of having been called offensive names by the officer. The officer lifted his hand as if to strike the prisoner, who suddenly attacked him, striking him on the head. The officer grappled with his prisoner, and the detective and another officer ran to his assistance, all striking the prisoner on the head and body. When the prisoner was on the floor, Haff kicked his head. The prisoner's face was badly bruised. He would not give his name.

DEATH OF WILLIAM COX.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 3 .- William Cox, aged forty-five, of the firm of William & George Cox, Union Hill, N. J., died suddenly at 11 o'clock last night. He came here with his cousin, John Cox, of New-York, to attend the sale of Congress Hall. He had been for some time suffering with lung difficulty. He was a member of the Board of Freeholders of Union Hill.

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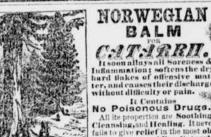
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